

PATENTS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Pascual PEREZ et al.

Serial No. (unknown)

Filed herewith

NOVEL USES OF MALE
STERILITY IN PLANTS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action and calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 5, line 1, cancel "any one of the preceding";

line 2, change "claims," to --claim 1,--.

Claim 9, line 3, cancel "according to";

line 4, cancel "Claim 8, which host is itself"

Claim 10, line 5, cancel "according to Claim 8, which host is";

line 6, cancel "itself";

line 24, cancel "according to Claim 8, which host is";

line 25, cancel "itself".

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